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After the graduation ceremony is over, all Sailors and family members are welcome to visit the RTC Recreation Center inside of Bldg. 1326, just two blocks walking distance from the Drill Hall. If your Sailor ordered a divisional T-shirt or sweatshirt at the beginning of their training, head over to the RTC Recreation Center for pickup. The RTC Recreation Center also has a comfortable waiting area, snack bar, food court, game room, computer lab and FREE WI-FI.

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Congratulations on your family member joining the United States Navy, the strongest Navy in the world. Looking ahead, your commitment, sacrifice and support of your Sailor is greatly valued. Traveling to a recruit graduation ceremony will allow you to be witness as hundreds of recruits begin their careers as Sailors. The Morale, Welfare and Recreation (MWR) Department at Naval Station Great Lakes designed this travel guide to assist you with your travel arrangements. MWR encourages you to read through this brochure carefully and use the information provided to book your airfare and hotel accommodations. For best availability and current rates, please call the hotels directly to make your reservation and reference this travel guide or the promotional code listed. If you should have any additional questions after looking over this travel guide, contact MWR at (847) 688-3593.

★ IMPORTANT RESOURCES ★

- AIRFARE RESERVATIONS:**
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